

# THE JOURNAL.

BOWLING-GREEN:

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1839.

A gold mine has lately been discovered in Randolph county, Alabama, which is thought to be the richest in North America, and is believed to be of considerable extent. Gold of the value of four thousand dollars, has been obtained at this mine in a single day; and a single lump has been found which was ascertained to be worth more than three hundred and twenty dollars, and was of great purity.

The sales of public lands at Chicago, closed on the 18th ult. and produced between sixty and seventy thousand dollars.—It is said in the papers of that place, that a large portion of the lands advertised were not sold; and that the land office is to be closed until the first of January next, when the settlers will have another opportunity to enter their lands, and will have the intermediate time to make their pecuniary arrangements for so doing. It is stated also, that the settlers met with no obstacles to the purchase of their farms at the late sales.

The price of wheat is less in Ohio than it has been for many years; having been sold as we are informed in many parts of the interior at the low price of fifty cents per bushel. And pork for which there has been usually great demand at good prices, is not purchased at the great pork mart of the West (Cincinnati) this year, in any considerable quantities. Three dollars seems to have been the highest price offered in that city, and one contract (which seems to be the only one of any magnitude) has been made for the delivery of a considerable number of hogs, at that price. The pork which is now being packed there, is principally done by the packers on commission.

The Chesapeake and Ohio canal, has experienced a breach between Shepherdstown and Harpers-ferry, three several times, during the past season, and navigation is now suspended by reason of the breach. On the water being let into it lately after the repairs had been made a second time, it again broke away, thus preventing the large quantity of flour and other produce which had accumulated at Williamsport from being carried forward to market, by the canal, this season.

The city of Iowa, the new capital of the Territory of the same name, which has been laid out only about three months, is said to have given great earnest of rapid improvement and advancing to importance. It already contains it is said twenty dwelling houses, and two good taverns.

We are informed that on Monday next the military of this county are to parade, to make the necessary preparation to obey the call for men to march to the Des-Moines frontier, to aid in the execution of the Revenue laws of the State. Four hundred and eighty we believe, are required from this county.

We learn from Louisiana, that the penitentiary of that state at Baton Rouge was lately destroyed by fire. The particulars are not stated.

The South Western Rail Road Company has elected James Roe Esq. of Charleston, South Carolina, to the office of President.

The latest accounts from Massachusetts state that there has been no choice of Governor by the people, so that the choice will devolve upon the Legislature, which is claimed to have a majority opposed to the Administration.

Leut. Governor H. H. Hilditch, has been elected by the people.

Music.—Luther is frequently and fervently thankful for being enriched with a love of music. He says, "It is one of the fairest and most glorious gifts of God, to which Satan is a bitter enemy; for it removes from the heart the weight of sorrow, and the fascination of evil thoughts. Music is a kind and gentle discipline; it refines the passion and improves the understanding.—Those who love music are honest and gentle in their tempers. I always loved music, and would not for a great latter be without the little still I possess in this art." The amiable and talented Hooker, in the fifth book of his "Ecclesiastical Poetry," speaking of music, says, "Touching musical harmony, whether by instruments or voice—such is the force thereof, and so pleasing effects it hath in that very part of man which is most divine—that some have been thereby induced to think that the soul itself, by nature, is or hath it in harmony."

Case on Pumps.—The fact is, that the

## WHIG TICKET FOR 1840.

FOR GOVERNOR.

GEN. CLARK, of Howard County,

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

JOSEPH BOGY, of Ste. Genevieve.

FOR CONGRESS.

DR. MOSS, of Clay Co.

THORNTON GRIMSLEY, of St. Louis.

Electors for President and Vice President.

Wm. C. OWENS, of Jackson.

JOSEPH BROWN, of St. Louis.

STEPHEN CLEAVER, of Ralls

PHILIP COLE, of Ste. Genevieve

Delegates to the National Convention

URIEL WRIGHT, of Marion

Wm. RUSSELL, of Callaway

Wm. CAMPBELL, of St. Charles

Wm. HUNTON, of St. Louis

ADMINISTRATION TICKET FOR 1840.

FOR GOVERNOR.

THOMAS REYNOLDS, of Howard.

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

M. M. MARMADUKE, of Saline.

FOR CONGRESS.

JOHN C. EDWARDS, of Cole.

To fill the vacancy of the Hon. A. G. Harrison deceased.

JOHN JAMESON, of Callaway.

Electors for President and Vice President.

ABRAM BYRD, 1st District.

EDWARD DOBYNS, 2nd District.

JAMES HOLEMAN, 3rd District.

WALKER G. MERIWETHER, 4th Do.

The corrected returns of votes polled at the late special election, for members of congress, we copy from the Jeffersonian Republican of Saturday last. They embrace all the counties in the State, except Caldwell and Shelby; and from these no returns had been received.

Counties, Jameson, Grimsley,

Andrain, 87 45

Barry, 37 00

Benton, 152 19

Buchanan, 420 1

Boone, 223 391

Clark, 81 54

Clinton, 101 48

Crawford, 135 54

Callaway, 621 556

Clay, 226 262

Carroll, 126 47

Cape Girardeau, 355 185

Chariton, 209 82

Cole, 624 113

Cooper, 432 344

Daviess, 77 16

Franklin, 309 111

Greene, 120 00

Gasconade, 384 33

Howard, 637 313

Johnson, 117 21

Jackson, 369 107

Jefferson, 156 106

La Fayette, 263 198

Livingston, 133 3

Linn, 120 2

Lewis, 269 160

Lincoln, 397 213

Marion, 373 432

Monroe, 382 309

Morgan, 219 51

Montgomery, 201 144

Macon, 120 41

Madison, 113 42

Miller, 174 1

New Madrid, 52 29

Newton, 176 00

Perry, 192 96

Pike, 511 436

Polk, 286 25

Pettis, 162 71

Pulaski, 260 26

Platte, 387 46

Ralls, 217 197

Randolph, 586 215

Ray, 288 126

Ripley, 20 00

Rives, 140 54

St. Charles, 260 288

Ste. Genevieve, 129 71

St. Louis, 861 1127

Saline, 128 82

Scott, 182 81

St. Francois, 133 66

Stoddard, 72 3

Taney, 34 00

Van Buren, 82 00

Wayne, 86 8

Warren, 178 62

Washington, 291 224

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6095 democratic majority.

Heavy Verdict.—The U. States Gaz. of Saturday says: "That branch of the District Court under Judge Stroud, holding sessions in the county court room, has for these two days past been engaged in the case of Pleasants vs. Commercial Bank of Cincinnati, in a suit to compel the payment of a reward of \$10,000, offered by said Bank for the recovery of a packet containing \$10,000 lost in February 1836; which packet it appears, was found on the 10th of August of the same year, by Henry Toland, Jr. and Mr. Pleasants, Plaintiffs in the case, both of whom were at that time in the office of Charles Macalister. In making a search into the fire proof closet in the office, the packet was discovered, marked on the edge \$100,000 and was deposited by Mr. Pleasants in the Girard Bank to the credit of the bank of Cincinnati.

Yesterday the case was sent to the jury, and a verdict for the plaintiff was rendered for three years, making a total of \$11,800, with interest.

A male coquette will be punished. A merchant in New York lately paid his address to a Miss—, of Brooklyn, to whom he was engaged to be married, and the day for their nuptials to "come off" was appointed. Every thing was ready for the ceremony but the bridegroom, from whom a note was received, coolly standing that he had changed his mind. Bad as was the offence, it was overlooked, and arrangements for the marriage were made a second time, and the gentleman again changed his mind. This was rather more than the brother of the lady would submit to, and he waited on the faithless swain, whom he found at Delmonico's, and in presence of a large number of fashionable, inflicted upon him a merciless cowhiding. We like this better than prosecuting for a breach of promise.

—Bos. States.

An Independent Man is one who blacks his shoes and boots, who can live without water, and who can shave himself with a razor.

A mother who makes her children obey him when they are out of his sight.

A hospitable man is never ashamed of his dinner when you come to dine with him.

A good wife exhibits her love for her husband by trying to promote his welfare, and administering to his comfort.

A poor wife "dears" and "my loves" her husband, but wouldn't sew a button to his coat to keep him from freezing.

A sensible wife looks for her enjoyment at home—a silly one, abroad.

A wise girl would win a lover by practicing those virtues which secure admiration when personal charms have faded.

A simple girl endeavors to recommend herself by the exhibition of frivolous accomplishments, and a markish sentiment which is as shallow as her mind.

A good girl always respects herself, and therefore always possesses the respect of others.

Two Jews were distinguished, one for his skill in boxing, and the other for his fondness for women. A gentleman being asked to what tribe they belonged, answered, "I rather think that one is an Amorite, and the other is a Hittite."—Bos. States.

The Rev. Mr. Inskip will preach in this place on the second Sabbath in next month, and regularly, on the second Sabbath in each month through the ensuing year.

"Better late than never," says the N. London Gar. on announcing the marriage of Mr. John Laith of Watkiss' Pa., to Miss Julia S. Neyer, aged 70 years.

DIED,

At his residence in this county on Thursday night last, Mr. Benoni Whitaker, a respectable citizen, of said county.

PUBLIC SALE.

I WILL sell to the highest bidder, on the first day of January 1840, at the Court-House in the town of Bowling-Green, a fine tract of timbered land, containing one hundred acres, situated one mile from the town of Ashby, in Pike county; it being a part of the tract, belonging to Wilbarger, dec'd. The land is of a good quality, and will be shown to any person who wishes to look at it before the day of sale.

Terms:—One half in hand, and the other in twelve months.

Dec. 14, 1839.—3t.

ROBERT T. MARTIN, Adm'r.

Dec. 14, 1839.—4t.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

THE undersigned, administrator of the estate of William Martin, late of Pike county, Missouri, deceased, hereby gives notice to all concerned, or in any wise interested in said estate, that the undersigned administrator, will make final settlement of said estate, at the next February term of the County court of said county.

Dec. 14, 1839.—9-4t.

ROBERT T. MARTIN, Adm'r.

Dec. 14, 1839.—9-4t.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

THE undersigned administrator of the estate of Daniel McIlroy, late of Pike county, Missouri, deceased, hereby gives notice to all concerned, or in any wise interested in said estate, that the undersigned administrator, will make final settlement of said estate, at the next February term of the County court of said county.

Dec. 14, 1839.—9-4t.

JANE McILROY, Adm'r.

Dec. 14, 1839.—9-4t.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

THE undersigned will apply at the next February term of the County court of Pike county Mo., to make a final settlement of our account, of our Administration of the estate of Orvel Crenshaw, late of said county, deceased, when and where all persons interested in said estate, will attend if they think proper.

Dec. 14, 1839.—9-4t.

CLARINDA CRENSHAW, Adm'r.

Dec. 14, 1839.—9-4t.

POCKET BOOK FOUND.

THE Subscriber living contiguous to the Town of Bowling-Green, Pike county Mo., found in the road, two or three miles from said Town a Pocket Book, containing some money.—The owner can have the same on application and making a satisfactory description of Pocket Book and contents, and paying for this advertisement.

NOAH ATKIN.

November 23, 1839.—6

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given to all persons concerned, or in any wise interested in the estate of Littlejohn Damron, late of Pike county, Missouri, deceased, that the undersigned, Administrator of said estate, will make a final settlement thereof at the next February Term of the County Court of said county.

Dec. 14, 1839.—9-4t.

JOHN C. EDWARDS, Adm'r.

Dec. 14, 1839.—9-4t.

NEW FIRM.

CAMPBELL & CHILTON having taken into partnership Mr. James M'Pike, for the transaction of Mercantile, and a General Agency and Commission business, at the old stand of Campbell and Chilton, Louisiana, Mo. business will hereafter be conducted by the undersigned, under the name, style and firm of Campbell, Chilton & Co.

JOEL CAMPBELL.

WILLIAM CHILTON,

JAMES M'PIKE.

November 30th, 1839.—7-4t

TAKE NOTICE.

THE notes belonging to the Estate of John L. Williams deceased, having fallen due, it is expected that all those indebted will make immediate payment to M. KELLY, & I. N. BRYSON, Admrs.

ALSO, those indebted to the late firm, of Williams & Bryson, are particularly requested to call and pay off their notes, as further indulgence ought not to be expected, and will not be given.

I. N. BRYSON.

November 9th, 1839.—4-3t

Information Wanted!

ALEXANDER H. HAYES, a Printer, left the State of New Hampshire in 1824, for New York, and has not been heard from directly, since. The editor of the Whig and Aegis, Haverhill, New Hampshire, a brother of Hayes, and of course anxiously interested, desires editors of newspapers to give publicity to the above notice, that his lost brother, if alive, may be found.

Partnership Notice.

THE undersigned have formed a partnership, for the purpose of keeping a whole-sale Grocery Establishment, and for the transaction of a General Agency, and Commission business, at Clarksville, Pike County Mo. under the firm & style of

J. M. & J. C. BELL.

Salt, Salt, Salt.

THE undersigned have on hand, and for sale on

400 Sacks G. Alum Salt,

120 L. Shells Salt,

170 Turin Island.

J. M. & J. C. BELL.

November 9th, 1839.—4

THE EMPIRE STATE.

(SUCCESSOR TO THE WEEKLY WHIG.)

Will be published every Tuesday morning, at 162 Nassau St. New-York.

The publishers of the New York Daily Whig, propose hereafter to issue their weekly paper under the title of The Empire State. No change will be made in the size or form of the paper; it will contain the full reading matter of six daily papers, and will be regularly forwarded to its numerous patrons, in the same manner as if no change in the name had taken place. Improvements in the mechanical execution of the paper are contemplated, corresponding with the increase of patronage which the publishers hope to receive under the new arrangement.

The paper will be under the editorial management of Horace Greeley and Jacob B. Moore, Esquires, the former of whom will attend to the Political Department, and the latter will devote his attention to the Literary and Miscellaneous portions of the paper—the design to make The Empire State not only a spirited and valuable political journal, but by increasing its attractions as a Family Newspaper, to render it worthy of a more extended patronage. The aid of gentlemen known as approved and able champions of the Whig cause, has been promised—and the Editors feel assured, that if ardent zeal, untiring energy, and unflinching resolution, joined to some experience as soldiers in the army and sentinels on the ramparts of Freedom, can ensure success, The Empire State shall fall behind none of its contemporaries in service to the cause of liberty and Prosperity.

TERMS.—Two Dollars per Annum, in advance—a price which, considering the amount of reading matter in its columns, renders the Empire State one of the cheapest Family Newspapers in the country.

Subscriptions received by J. Gregg Wilson & Co., publishers, 162 Nassau street, New York.

Editors with whom we exchange will confer a favor by giving the above one or more insertions

New York, October 3, 1839.

THE undersigned having purchased the Tanyard and stock of leather and hides lately owned by Augustus Oury, requests those indebted for leather to make payment by the 1st day of January next, and those having claims against said Oury on account of leather Tanyard will please present them to me for settlement, without delay.

The Tanning business formerly conducted by him in his branches will be continued by me.

NOAH ATKIN.

## GODEY'S LADY'S BOOK.

EDITION—25,000 MONTHLY.

MORE THAN 50 FIGURES OF FASHIONS EACH YEAR.

MRS. LYDIA H. SIGOURNEY,

Whose name is so intimately connected with the Literature of our country, and who has justly been termed by the contemporary press, THE HEMANS OF AMERICA, will assist Mrs. HALE in the editorial department. It is with feelings of the greatest pleasure that the publisher of the Book makes this announcement. The editorial corps will now consist of Mrs. SARAH J. HALE, Mrs. LYDIA H. SIGOURNEY, and LOUISA A. GODEY. Mrs. Sigourney will commence her valuable and with the January number. The Lady's Book has always been noted for the purity of its contents—that marked distinction which characterizes it shall still be preserved, indeed, with such conductors, it will be impossible to go astray.

## GODEY'S BOOK

Has been emphatically termed THE LADIES' NATIONAL MAGAZINE, as it is a receptacle for the contributions of the most celebrated Female writers of America, most of whom of any eminence contribute to its pages. For a list of the names of the Contributors, see October cover of the work.

Twenty Volumes have already been issued. It is usual to announce that a small edition only will be published. Contrary to this, the Proprietor of the lady's Book announces that he will publish an immense edition, with which he hopes to supply all those who will favor him with orders, commencing with the January number.

It will be seen by this advertisement that every effort has been made by the proprietor of this work to make it superior to any other in America; and as

## A NEW YEAR'S GIFT,

The Lady's book is probably the most proper that could be desired for Ladies, edited by their own sex, and assisted, as the Editorial Department is, by the Pictorial Embellishments, it is positively the Boudoir Companion.

There are other publications that advertise Fashion Plates. The Publisher of the Lady's Book wishes it to be distinctly understood that the principal Fashions in his work are colored, and in every number, which is not the case with any other work published in this country. Uncolored Plates of Fashions, also monthly. This is a novel feature in the work, and as it is no great expense to give plates of Fashions, without Coloring, the Publisher will give from three to six Figures each month, in addition to the three colored—this will make in all, generally, about

NINE FIGURES OF FASHIONS MONTHLY.

Lace Patterns and Patterns of Embroidery

Will be published at regular intervals. These beautiful ornaments—particularly the former—have given great astonishment.

The Musical Department is under the superintendence of J. G. OSBORNE, than whom no person is more capable of doing it justice.

The Literary Department is placed under the superintendence of Mrs. SARAH J. HALE and Mrs. LYDIA H. SIGOURNEY; two ladies so well known to the world that to mention their names in connection with any publication is at once a guarantee of its morality, virtue, and utility. Of their capability to conduct the LADY'S BOOK, it is presumed no person will doubt, and the proprietor mentions with pleasure that no English or American Magazine can publish in connection with its Literary Department two names so celebrated in the world of letters.

Fac Similes.—A great deal of curiosity is often expressed to see the Chirography of celebrated persons. We shall endeavor as far as lies in our power to gratify this feeling, by giving from time to time correct imitations of the most celebrated Female writers of the day.

General Features.—Literature, Tales, Essays, Legends, Romantic Incident in History, Extracts from the Old Poets, Reviews, Poetry, Female Education, Embellishments, Fashions, Colored and Uncolored Lace, Embroidery, Fac Similes, Music, &c. &c.

More than Sixty Figures of Fashions yearly, colored and uncolored, the Proprietor being determined to consult all tastes.—Any embellishments to be found in any other Magazine may be looked for in the Lady's Book. INCREASE OF SUBSCRIPTION.—In 1838 we published 10,500 copies, during the months of January, February, and March, 1839, we increased the list to 13,500, and had then to reprint three numbers and increase to 15,000. With the next volume, we advanced to 17,000, and we now print

25,000 Copies Monthly.

Probably the greatest monthly list of subscribers in the world.